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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Final Rejection mailed July 17, 2003, said period of response being extended from October 17, 2003 to January 17, 2004.

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